



AN ACT NAMING A PORTION OF U.S. HIGHWAY 2 AFTER HIGHWAY PATROL OFFICER EVAN F. SCHNEIDER; REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO PROVIDE MARKERS TO RECOGNIZE THE DESIGNATION WHEN EXISTING SIGNS NEED REPLACING; REQUIRING NEW ROADWAY MAPS TO INCLUDE THE DESIGNATION; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Evan F. Schneider proudly and honorably served the great State of Montana as a Montana Highway Patrol Trooper; his service record was exemplary; and even the people he arrested thanked him for his kindness and respect; and

WHEREAS, Evan helped many Montanans who were in crisis on our State's highways; and

WHEREAS, Evan joyfully fulfilled his duty as a Montana Highway Patrol Trooper to protect every person who travels Montana's highways; and

WHEREAS, we honor his ultimate sacrifice, his final duty to the citizens of Montana.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

Section 1. Highway patrol officer Evan F. Schneider memorial highway. (1) There is established the highway patrol officer Evan F. Schneider memorial highway on the existing U.S. highway 2 from the eastern boundary of the city of Columbia Falls to the western boundary of the city of Hungry Horse.

(2) When existing road signs on the designated highway need replacement, the department shall provide appropriate markers to recognize the memorial designation of the highway.

(3) Maps that identify roadways in Montana must be updated to reflect the memorial designation in subsection (1) when the maps are updated.

Section 2. Codification instruction. [Section 1] is intended to be codified as an integral part of Title 60, chapter 1, part 2, and the provisions of Title 60, chapter 1, part 2, apply to [section 1].

Section 3. Effective date. [This act] is effective on passage and approval.

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I hereby certify that the within bill,
HB 0311, originated in the House.

Chief Clerk of the House

Speaker of the House

Signed this _____ day
of _____, 2009.

President of the Senate

Signed this _____ day
of _____, 2009.

HOUSE BILL NO. 311
INTRODUCED BY M. BLASDEL

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